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## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Please don't take away my choice to use competitive DSL. Without it, I would have to pay \$50 more every month for a service that is much worse than what I get now. This nation was founded on the principle of the FREE market and competition. Why is the FCC trying to take broadband choices away from United States of America?

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